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CHURCH NOTICES.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES—Episcopal services will be held in the San Luis school house the first Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock a. m. W. L. Clark, Rector.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Chas. C. Kirtland, Pastor. Services: Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Service at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 2:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor meeting Fridays at 3:15 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society and Missionary Society meet the second Tuesday of each month.

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CATHOLIC CHURCH—On Sunday May the 4th, Mass will be celebrated in St. Francis church, Sonoma, at 8:30 a. m., and on the same day in Glen Ellen at 10:30 a. m. On Sunday, May the 11th, Mass will be said in Glen Ellen at 8:30 a. m. and in St. Francis Church, Sonoma at 10:30 a. m. In this way Mass will be celebrated alternately in both places until further notice.

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CHURCH TROUBLE IN PHILIPPINES

Dissenters Seize a Building After Sermon Displeasing to Them.

OFFER GOV. TAFT A DEED OF GIFT.

He Advises Them to Surrender Possession, Which They Do—Good Situation Serious in the Philippines—Ladrones Causing Trouble.

Manila.—The Pandacan church has been the scene of serious disturbances, approaching riots, and many arrests have been made. A portion of the congregation announced its intention of joining the Philippine Catholic church and the pastor, Father Sorrondo, preached a sermon rebuking the dissidents.

It was asserted that Father Sorrondo, during his sermon, violated confessional secrets, and he was later attacked in the streets. All those connected in the disturbance were arrested.

The dissenters then took possession of the church, but the priest dislodged them. The dissenters recaptured the building and "Bishop" Aglipay, the leader of the dissident movement, celebrated mass before a large crowd.

Later the dissenters drew up a deed of gift transferring the property to the Government, and offered the deed to Governor Taft, with the keys of the building. The Governor replied that the church belonged to the Roman Catholics. He advised the dissenters to surrender it, suggested an appeal to the courts if they thought they had rights in the case, and strongly counseled them against disorder. The dissenters accepted his advice and surrendered possession of the church. During the quarrels crowds of natives surrounded the edifice, and a strong detachment of police alone prevented a serious outbreak.

Washington.—A cable message was received at the War Department from Governor Taft saying the food situation in the Philippines was serious and would be so for a few months on account of the loss of crops, and that relief was necessary.

The Governor suggested the possibility of sending a shipload of supplies from San Francisco or Portland, to be purchased by the insular government. He asked for prices of flour, and they were sent him at once. He has made no further request, and as the press dispatches announce that he has made large purchases of rice, it is assumed at the War Department that he has found it advantageous not to make the purchases in this country.

Washington. — Manila newspapers received at the War Department state that the ladrones are making more trouble than ever before in the Philippines. They occasionally dress as constabulary officers and prey upon defenseless natives. The paper says that all bona fide insurgents have returned to ways of peace and are maintaining at least a semblance of a law-abiding career. To remedy the evils the constabulary is to be increased to such an extent that the lawless bands may be hunted down.

SLAVE DEALERS SELL CHILDREN.

Girls Are Bartered Under Britain's Flag in Hongkong.

Tacoma, Wash.—Hongkong advices state that there is a great revival in the slave trade in girls between Hongkong, Canton and distant provinces. Hundreds of girls, chiefly of tender years, are known to be living in slavery in Hongkong. The trade is carried on so secretly that it is doubtful if it can be broken up. In the secret quarters of the slave trade girls are said to be bought and sold daily.

Lately there has been a large demand for good-looking girls from Hoi How, and of Hainan, with the result that prices have more than doubled. At Hoi How last month a farmer sold his motherless children, one of 3 years for $30 and one of 5 years for $55. Officials recently seized a man who had succeeded in selling 130 girls before he was imprisoned. At Canton and Hongkong it is not unusual for girls under 10 to bring $100 and those of 14 to bring $200.

Portuguese in East Africa.

New York.—A cable to the Sun from London says: The London agent of Dr. Carl Peters, the German explorer, has received a telegram from East Africa stating that a powerful monarch of Makombe has been defeated by the Portuguese, who have taken over the administration of his vast district south of the Zambezi. This territory, though nominally belonging to the Portuguese, has been practically independent for centuries.

BLOCKED GAME OF CATTLEMEN.

Department Suspends Fraudulent Land Entries in Nebraska.

Washington.—The Interior Department has suspended with a view of cancellation, a large number of alleged fraudulent land entries in Nebraska made by soldiers' widows, who, it is charged, have entered into an agreement for the transfer of the lands to cattle men.

W. N. Lesser, of Iowa, a special agent, whose headquarters have been several years at North Platte, Neb., has been suspended in connection with these proceedings. The suspension follows an investigation quietly conducted by Reynolds & Gallagher, John S. Mosby, the former guerrilla leader, who is now a special agent of the General Land Office. The exact extent of these operations is not disclosed, but, so far as is known, there are about forty-five or fifty of them, entry being for 150 acres. The Government recently has been enforcing its regulations for the removal of fences erected by cattlemen on public lands. Under the law, soldiers' widows have a right to make entries of public lands without any residence requirements, but they are required to make improvements and cultivate the lands. It is understood that the women who made the entries are mostly Chicago people, who were influenced to take these steps by the agents of cattlemen, with an agreement to transfer the land to the latter by leases, with the right to purchase.

Claims Serum Will Check Scarlet Fever.

Montreal, Quebec. — Dr. G. A. Charlton Rockefeller, fellow of pathology at McGill University, says he has discovered a serum which will combat scarlet fever in a patient's system. Rockefeller has experimented with the serum on patients in the Montreal Civic Hospital, and thirteen out of fifteen cases promptly recovered without complications. The serum tends to a quick subsidence of the fever and a rapid convalescence.

DUN'S REVIEW OF BUSINESS CONDITIONS

Trade and Industry Are Making Steady Progress in All Sections of the Country.

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Trade and industry are making steady progress, reports from all sections of the country containing evidences of wholesome development. An unusually large fall distribution occurred and current transactions in heavier goods are liberal, considering the season. Complaints of slow freight movement are still heard, testifying to the enormous volume of business handled by the railways, which report earnings for October 4.8 per cent larger than last year and 14.2 per cent above 1900.

The only development of note in the steel market has been the 10 per cent reduction in price of tinplate to take effect December 1. While some change was anticipated the trade was not prepared for so large a cut. The recent lowering of price lists in certain sections of the market should stimulate foreign trade. There will be occasion for gratification, as some exceptional export movement is needed to offset the heavy imports of pig iron and billets. Many furnaces have been compelled to bank because of the poor receipts of coke and there is little evidence of improvement in the railway situation, motive power being utterly inadequate. Contracts run far into the future in structural material for bridges and buildings, while plates are sought by car works and shipyards.

Not Sure of the Country's Coat-of-Arms.

Washington.—A question arose recently as to the correctness of the design of the coat-of-arms as displayed on the President's flag which has been in use in the Navy for many years. Attention was first called to the matter when a foreign attache remarked that it was strange that the Army and Navy should have two different flags for the President. It was then discovered that the two differed in the matter of the coat-of-arms. The State Department was called upon for an authentic copy of the coat-of-arms. It showed seven white and six red stripes in the shield, while the Navy Department's flag had seven red stripes and six white ones. The matter was referred to the President, but he sent it back to the department for decision. While Acting Secretary Darling has not formally decided the matter, he inclines to follow the State Department.

Schooner Sunk by a Bark.

Rockport, Me.—A cablegram received here from Cienfuegos, Cuba, reported that the three-masted schooner Austin D. Knight, bound from Dariel, Ga., for New York, with lumber, had been run down and sunk by the Italian bark Sorrento. The dispatch, which was from Captain Bennett, master of the Knight, gave no other particulars.

DETAILS OF THE BOXER OUTBREAK

Official Report on the Recent Disturbances in Central Part of China.

ALL THE REBEL CHIEFS ARE DEAD.

Viceroy Tells of Expeditions He Made and Heavy Penalties Inflicted—Hundreds of Boxers Killed by Imperial Troops.

Victoria, B. C.—Mail advices received from the Orient include official reports from Kwei Chun, ex-Viceroy of Sze Chuan, detailing the recent Boxer outbreak there. After relating the incident leading up to the destruction of the churches in the two districts and the murder of many native converts, the report says:

"Several regiments of troops were sent to the disturbed places and, besides slaying 200 or 300 of the insurgents, the troops succeeded in capturing several, who were brought to Chengtu and decapitated.

"Between 5000 and 6000 Boxers had assembled in Hwayang Hsien, Chintangsien and Chienchow, where they occupied the market towns and killed as many captains of the train bands as they could get hold of. A small force was sent to the Boxers to exhort them to disperse. I did not take stringent measures on this occasion because I feared that among the Boxers there might be many famine-stricken inhabitants who were not disposed to do evil, but were simply misled by the Boxers. A fight followed and 200 Boxers were killed and the others driven back. The force sent was obliged to return."

The report describing the attack on Chengtu, where three regiments and 600 bannermen had been assembled for defense, says: "The Boxers attacked the imperial troops in the outskirts of Chengtu and a hot battle followed, which lasted for a whole night, with the result that between 400 and 500 of the rebels were slain, about 1000 were dispersed and the rest retreated to Chingtangsien, where they burned the churches and put many native converts to death.

"When the imperial troops were dispatched to Chintangsien the Boxers proceeded to Hsuao Chin Ping, where they joined forces with other insurgents. A battle was fought there and 300 Boxers were put to the sword. Defeated there the Boxers fled to the hills at Suchiawan, where they found refuge for the time being, but re-enforcements of imperial troops arrived and marched against the rebels in Suchiawan in three different directions, slaying about 1400 of them and captured thirteen alive, who were beheaded on the spot after undergoing a formal trial."

Concluding the report says: "Although there still exists elements of disorder, there is not much to be feared from the Boxers, because all the rebel chiefs have been exterminated."

Phonograph Used at a Kansas Funeral.

Leavenworth, Kas.—There was an innovation at the funeral of Daniel P. Williams, an old resident. Music to accompany the religious services was furnished by a phonograph. Rev. Samuel Pearson, the pastor of the First Congregational Church, was called on to conduct the religious services at the home of the dead, and on learning that no choir had been provided, took along a phonograph. "The Holy City" and "Jesus as Thou Wilt" were rendered. This created some surprise among the relatives and friends of the dead, but they seemed entirely satisfied. Rev. Mr. Pearson said afterwards that he was well pleased with the successful use of the phonograph in connection with funeral services and he would use it in the future where there were no objections and it would come in with propriety. He stated also that he favored using the phonograph to furnish sacred music in sick rooms and that he would frequently do so.

Timber Sharks Will Fight.

Washington. — The General Land Office has been notified that a protest is to be filed against its order withdrawing from entry 6,000,000 acres of forest lands in Northern California. The purpose of Commissioner Hermann in withdrawing the land temporarily was to provide for the creation of forest reserves, and to prevent wholesale frauds that were being attempted by timbermen who tried to locate the lands as agricultural.

Big Union Depot in El Paso.

El Paso, Texas.—A union depot costing $500,000 will be built in El Paso. Representatives of the seven main lines centering in this city agreed here upon the project.

ENGLAND WANTS DELAGOA BAY.

London Papers Think Kaiser Relies on the Fact to Aid Him in Chinese Schemes.

London.—The Daily Mail and the Daily News throw doubt upon the reality of the reported settlement of the evacuation of Shanghai. The former paper hints that Germany has a secret understanding with China in the matter, and the latter journal declares that Emperor William's visit to King Edward is concerned with that question and an endeavor on the part of Germany to secure a quid pro quo for German acquiescence while Great Britain completes her arrangements with Portugal with reference to Delagoa bay.

The Daily News further accuses the Government of imperiling the British position in China in order to secure the barren concession of Delagoa bay. Colonial Secretary Chamberlain is determined, according to the Daily News, to obtain a working agreement with regard to Delagoa bay at whatever cost.

New York.—A cable to the Herald from The Hague says: A secret clause of the Anglo-German treaty relates to the acquisition of Portuguese colonies in Africa. By this clause Germany will acquire the northern part of the Portuguese possessions as far as Beira, while England will take over the remainder, as well as Delagoa bay and Lourenzo Marquez.

Cyclist Killed in Collision With Horse.

Napa.—Richard Schulz, a resident of Coombsville, a district a few miles from here, was run into as he entered town, and from the injuries which resulted, died several hours later. Schulz was riding a bicycle at the time of the accident. A horse ridden by a young man named Heater, with simply a rope for a bridle, became entirely unmanageable and crashed into the bicyclist. Heater luckily escaped serious injury. The Coroner's jury brought in a verdict of accidental death.

Japanese Woman Murdered in a Canefield

Honolulu.—A remarkable story of murder by agreement between two Japanese has been unearthed by the finding of a woman's body in a canefield on the island of Maui. The victim was named Ichi. She is alleged to have signed an agreement with one Fugita Kichita whereby she agreed to leave her husband for him, with a further stipulation that if she failed to carry out her agreement Fugita had her permission to take her life. She failed to keep her agreement, and last Thursday she was stabbed to death in a canefield. Fugita has been apprehended and held for murder.

Many Deaths at Ensenada.

San Diego.— The Eco de la Frontera, published at Ensenada, Mexico, says that the great number of deaths at Ensenada of late has attracted the attention of the authorities, who are investigating into the cause. The number of deaths ha been unusually large, and the opinion is that there is some reason for it besides natural causes. There will be an investigation held to see if there are any indications of any sort of epidemic.

Explosion of a Boiler Kills Two Men.

New York.—Two men were killed and one of the pumping stations of the city's water system in Queensborough totally destroyed by the explosion of one of two big boilers which furnished power for the pumps. The building was demolished. Bricks were thrown a distance of 1000 feet, while the two boilers and the engineer were hurled 200 feet away. Scaling of the boiler is supposed to have caused the explosion.

Important Arctic Expedition.

Christiania.—Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, announces that a polar expedition, under command of Captain Amundsen, will start in 1903 for King Williamland, east coast of Greenland, and will proceed thence for Behring straits. Professor Schmidt of Berlin characterizes the expedition as the most important task in the domain of territorial magnetism.

President of Honduras.

Washington. — Minister Hunter at Guatemala has notified the State Department by cable that Manuel Corilla was elected President of Honduras on the 28th ult. He says that threats of a contest of election are boldly made, but that the country is quiet.

Burglars Blow Open Safes.

Albuquerque, N. M.—Burglars blew open safes in the Santa Fe Railway station and Benjamin & Co.'s jewelry store in this city and secured $2000 in money and jewelry. A man named Ed Joyce has been arrested and some of the plunder found in his possession.

Bolivian Troops Defeated.

Rio Janeiro, Brazil.—A dispatch from Manaos announces that the revolutionists in Acre have defeated the Bolivian troops under Colonel Rojas, and have captured two colonels, several other officers and 120 men.

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OUR TOWN AND VALLEY.

Our town is making a quiet but property. Within the past four months a good substantial store building has been erected on Napa street, a six room cottage on Broadway, an addition has been added to the F. T. Duhring home. The old Adler building has been moved and converted into a neat dwelling by H. Castagnasso. A number of new barns and fences have been constructed within the town limits. While these improvements have been going on in the town the surrounding country has been active in the same manner. Three new houses have been erected in the immediate vicinity of Sonoma while many more are promised to be constructed before next summer. Property generally is improving in price and appearance and it is earnestly hoped that many of the old fences along our public thoroughfares may be replaced by new ones before spring. Dilapidated fences and buildings do not favorably impress the new comers or those who are seeking an investment in real property. Our valley generally is prosperous and let us therefore put on an appearance that will best tell of our conditions. We have a valley of which the whole state is proud to speak, not for its great advancement but for its healthful waters, salubrious climate and the remarkable productiveness of the soil—our crops are always certain to be harvested—Sonoma valley knows no entire failure of crops.

The Petaluma Board of Trade has just published a very neat sixteen page pamphlet on the advantages and resources of Petaluma and Sonoma county. The work is very attractive and speaks well for the energy possessed by the Board of Trade and will undoubtedly be the means of bringing many into our county.

There may be a legal question arise over the counting of the vote of Marin precinct, over the non-observance of the law by the election officers there. The returns made to the county clerk's office were unsealed, no poll list was enclosed, no oaths of election officers appended and no certificate of the officials was shown.

The County Board of Education.

At the meeting of the County Board of Education held in Santa Rosa last Saturday Principal H. R. Bull of the Healdsburg High school was elected president, to succeed President C. A. Pool whom fortune favored at the polls last Tuesday, when he was elected county auditor.

After the transaction of routine business the Board of Education took up the work of preparing questions for the grammar grade examination which takes place in December, in which a large number of students will seek to enter the High schools of the county.

At the meeting the members of the board present were Charles A. Pool, W. O. Hocker, Miss Ella Cavanagh, H. R. Bull and County Superintendent, Miss Minnie Coulter.

Stolen Wheel is Found in a Ditch.

Some time during Wednesday night an unknown miscreant took Mr. Glaister's bicycle from the front porch of his residence with the evident intention of riding it away and after getting about one mile from here threw it in a ditch by the roadside where it was found the next morning by Oscar MacQuiddy as he was coming to his usual work at the Duhring store. Mr. McQuiddy recognized the wheel and brought it to town and returned it to its owner. One side of the seat was broken and it is thought the thief found it difficult to ride and abandoned his evil intention. No clew to the perpetrator has yet been found.

The revival meetings at the Methodist church are being quite well attended.

G. C. Gerick, who has been absent in Alaska for several years, returned to his family here last evening.

Miss Rena Yates of Oakland is here on a visit with Mrs. G. S. Harris and family. Miss Yates is just recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

The Best Remedy for Croup.

From the Atchison, Kan., Daily Globe.

This is the season when the women who knows the best remedies for croup is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night by a whoop from one of the children. The croup remedies are almost as sure to be lost, in case of croup, as a revolver is sure to be lost in case of burglars. There used to be an old fashioned remedy for croup, known as hive syrup and tolu, but some modern mothers say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better, and does not cost so much. It causes the patient to "throw up the phlegm" quicker, and gives relief in a shorter time. Give this remedy as soon as the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by R. G. Shoults.

Startling, But True.

"If every one knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes D. H. Turner, Dempseytown, Pa., "you'd sell all you have in a day. Two weeks' use has made a new man of me." Infallible for constipation, stomach and liver troubles. 25c at Shoults' drug store.

County Officials Must Give Bonds.

In accordance with Ordinance No. 41 the county officials who enter upon their duties January 1, 1903, will be required to give bonds as follows:

County treasurer, $100,000; county clerk, $25,000; auditor, $20,000; sheriff, $50,000; tax collector, $50,000; district attorney, $5,000; recorder, $10,000; assessor, $20,000; surveyor, $5,000; superintendent of schools, $5,000; coroner, $5,000.

Each justice of the peace has to give a bond of $1,000, and a bond of a similar amount is required of each constable.

A Church Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Marie Equi and John Bernard was solemnized at the Catholic church last Sunday morning with Rev. Father Leahy officiating. Mr. Bernard is employed in Alameda where the happy couple will make their home.

Miss Equi has been a resident of this valley for several months and has made many friends during her stay here who extend best wishes for a prosperous life.

O. M. Riewerts, the new shoe maker, has placed his ad in the EXPOSITOR.

Found, the place to buy horse brushes, currey combs and whips is at the new harness shop.

Robt. A. Poppe was transacting business before the Superior Court in Santa Rosa Monday.

A party is desirous of purchasing a place of from 75 to 100 acres of unimproved land. Leave particulars at this office.

Fred Helberg made a flying trip to the bay city last Saturday. On his return he was seen to be carrying a bran new gun.

To repair bridges across Sonoma creek, Road Commissioner Hart was authorized to purchase lumber, not to exceed $400.

J. P. Roelofs, Treasurer of the California Business College, was in town the first of the week on matters connected with that institution.

The ball game which was to have been played last Saturday afternoon on the grounds opposite this office was postponed till tomorrow. The game promises to be interesting.

Keep your horse from getting cold by covering it with a blanket from the new harness shop.

It is reported another street lighting proposition will be made before the city trustees at their next meeting. The illumination will be of gas and said to be very cheap.

L. Quartaroli is adding another wing to his new barn on the Vasquez tract. He also has the material on the ground for a new fence which will greatly improve the appearance of the place.

The building formerly occupied by the Clark shoe shop is being fitted up for an undertaking parlor which will be conducted by H. F. Bates who will succeed the late G. W. Clark in that business.

If you have a bad cold you need a good reliable medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to loosen and relieve it, and to allay the irritation and inflammation of the throat and lungs. The soothing and healing properties of this remedy and the quick cures which it effects make it a favorite everywhere. For sale by R. G. Shoults.

The many friends of Miss Nellie Donaldson will be pleased to hear of her engagement to Mr. Tony Enos of Vallejo. The happy couple will be united in marriage next month and after a brief honeymoon they will reside in Vallejo where Mr. Enos is preparing a handsome cottage for his bride-to-be.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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"I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver and biliousness, and took many different kinds of medicine without receiving any benefit," writes Mr. P. J. Gerregano, of Cleveland, Miss. "In May, 1900, I wrote to Dr. R. V. Pierce, and he recommended his 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I have taken about four bottles and am cured of my troublesome disease. At times in hot weather I had fever, and every morning had a bad taste in my mouth, and all through the summer season I was unable to work at all. Now I can work, and, I believe, do as much as any one. Feel that I am under great obligation to you and your wonderful medicine, and cannot say too much for either."

Persons who suffer from disease in chronic form are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, *free*. All correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery." There is nothing "just as good" for diseases of stomach, liver and blood.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the action of the "Discovery."

Vineburg Verities

William McElroy made a close shave catching the train from Vineburg Tuesday morning. He had to run his horse about half the distance from his house, and then just made the train.

Thomas Holland came up again from the Palace Hotel on Wednesday, devoting part of his time to clerical work connected with his business and another part to training his team for Saturday's base ball match.

Howard Knight was a San Francisco passenger on Tuesday mornings train.

A party of young folks had a good time out on the Hewett ranch this week, returning home from Vineburg station Monday afternoon.

Jack Knight is pitcher and captain of the High school base ball nine.

John Watt Jr. is to act as pitcher for the "Representative nine" on Saturday; Mr. Holland as captain.

Printed paper butter wrappers for sale at this office.

Glen Ellen Items

The Sonoma Association of Congregational churches is now in session at this place.

A. M. Jordan of San Francisco, formerly foreman on the Bell place, visited friends here a few days the past week.

B. D. Alexander of Kenwood has leased a cottage from Mrs. C. E. Martens and will reside here for the winter.

A new porch has been added to the many other improvements at the Skahan Grocery.

Chas. J. Poppe and F. Quien of this place have been subpoenaed as members of the next grand jury.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. O'Donnell were up for a few days the past week.

The S. P. depot has been newly painted adding greatly to appearances in that part of town.

The new stone curbing has been completed in front of the Garabaldi hotel and the Barborin property. This improvement makes quite a neat appearance.

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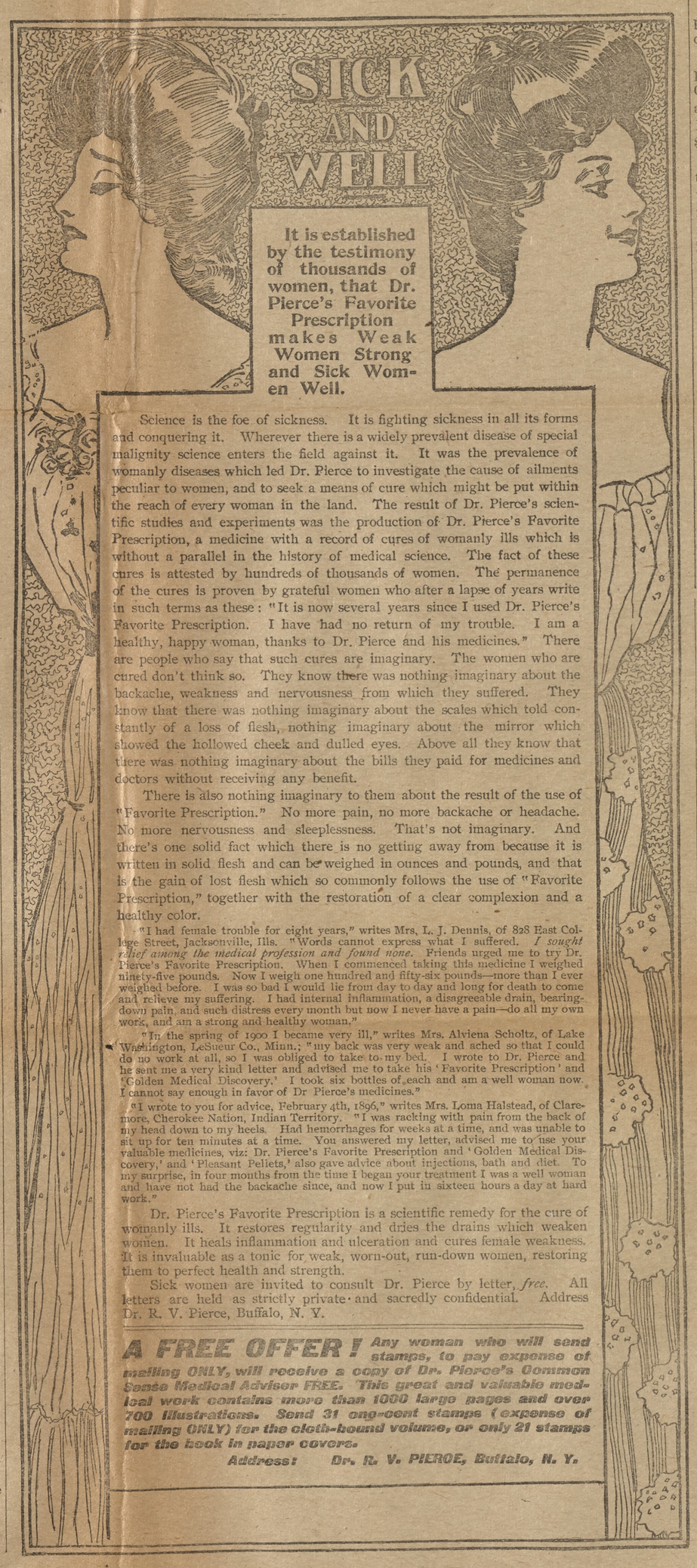
Robt. Hall and L. H. Green who have been confined to their homes for some time are steadily convalescing and are expected to be out in a few days.



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Science is the foe of sickness. It is fighting sickness in all its forms and conquering it. Wherever there is a widely prevalent disease of special malignity science enters the field against it. It was the prevalence of womanly diseases which led Dr. Pierce to investigate the cause of ailments peculiar to women, and to seek a means of cure which might be put within the reach of every woman in the land. The result of Dr. Pierce's scientific studies and experiments was the production of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a medicine with a record of cures of womanly ills which is without a parallel in the history of medical science. The fact of these cures is attested by hundreds of thousands of women. The permanence of the cures is proven by grateful women who after a lapse of years write in such terms as these: "It is now several years since I used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I have had no return of my trouble. I am a healthy, happy woman, thanks to Dr. Pierce and his medicines." There are people who say that such cures are imaginary. The women who are cured don't think so. They know there was nothing imaginary about the backache, weakness and nervousness from which they suffered. They know that there was nothing imaginary about the scales which told constantly of a loss of flesh, nothing imaginary about the mirror which showed the hollowed cheek and dulled eyes. Above all they know that there was nothing imaginary about the bills they paid for medicines and doctors without receiving any benefit.

There is also nothing imaginary to them about the result of the use of "Favorite Prescription." No more pain, no more backache or headache. No more nervousness and sleeplessness. That's not imaginary. And there's one solid fact which there is no getting away from because it is written in solid flesh and can be weighed in ounces and pounds, and that is the gain of lost flesh which so commonly follows the use of "Favorite Prescription," together with the restoration of a clear complexion and a healthy color.

"I had female trouble for eight years," writes Mrs. L. J. Dennis, of 828 East College Street, Jacksonville, Ills. "Words cannot express what I suffered. *I sought relief among the medical profession and found none.* Friends urged me to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. When I commenced taking this medicine I weighed ninety-five pounds. Now I weigh one hundred and fifty-six pounds—more than I ever weighed before. I was so bad I would lie from day to day and long for death to come and relieve my suffering. I had internal inflammation, a disagreeable drain, bearing-down pain, and such distress every month but now I never have a pain—do all my own work, and am a strong and healthy woman."

"In the spring of 1900 I became very ill," writes Mrs. Alviena Scholtz, of Lake Washington, LeSueur Co., Minn.; "my back was very weak and ached so that I could do no work at all, so I was obliged to take to my bed. I wrote to Dr. Pierce and he sent me a very kind letter and advised me to take his 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took six bottles of each and am a well woman now. I cannot say enough in favor of Dr Pierce's medicines."

"I wrote to you for advice, February 4th, 1896," writes Mrs. Loma Halstead, of Claremore, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory. "I was racking with pain from the back of my head down to my heels. Had hemorrhages for weeks at a time, and was unable to sit up for ten minutes at a time. You answered my letter, advised me to use your valuable medicines, viz: Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and 'Pleasant Pellets,' also gave advice about injections, bath and diet. To my surprise, in four months from the time I began your treatment I was a well woman and have not had the backache since, and now I put in sixteen hours a day at hard work."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific remedy for the cure of womanly ills. It restores regularity and dries the drains which weaken women. It heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It is invaluable as a tonic for weak, worn-out, run-down women, restoring them to perfect health and strength.

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Address: Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.

DOINGS OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

A resume of the calendar day proceedings in the Superior court on Monday is as follows:

In Department One of the Superior Court on Monday Mrs. Catherine Gaffney was appointed administratrix on the estate of Miles M. Gaffney in a bond of $1,350.

The account of the administrator of the estate of Hans H. Kier was settled and an order was made to give the widow the profits of the estate thus far, amounting to $640.23, to which she is entitled under the will.

Nancy E. Clark was appointed administratrix on the estate of G. W. Clark in a bond of $6,000.

The will of Charles A. Guyot was admitted to probate and Mary D. B. Schmidt was appointed executrix without bonds.

The final account of the estate of G. H. Zimmerman was settled and distribution ordered, subject to the lien of the administrator.

The final account of the estate of Adela A. Mann was settled. A similar order was made in the estate of Fred Englehardt.

The probate matters continued were: Estate of F. P. Kelly to November 24; estates of Fred Yordi and Warren Green to November 10; estate of Fred O. Schultz to December 22.

The trial of the action of the Duncan's Mills Land and Lumber Company against L. Consoli was set for December 9; The trial of the action of Robinson vs. Robinson was set for November 25.

The action of Gordon vs. Gordon, default was entered and the matter was referred to John Tyler Campbell, as commissioner, to take testimony.

Civil matters continued were: Gagliado vs. Gagliardo, Italian Swiss-Coloney vs. J. Purrington to November 17; Samoni vs. Brown to November 24.

Luck in Thirteen.

By sending 13 miles Wm. Spirey, of Walton Furnace, Vt., got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, that wholly cured a horrible Fever Sore on his leg. Nothing else could. Positively cures Bruises, Felons, Ulcers, Eruptions, Boils, Burns, Corns and Piles. Only 25c. Guaranteed by R. G. Shoults druggist.

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LOCAL BREVITIES and SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

DOINGS OF SONOMA AND VICINITY.

Happenings of Local Interest Gathered from Various Sources, Briefly Told.

Chas. Whiting is constructing a neat fence around his place in the south part of town.

Mrs. Elmer Rowell, nee Della Pauli, of San Francisco, spent Wednesday with relatives at Locust Grove.

Wm. Trudgen has the contract to construct a cement sidewalk along the Union hotel property to replace the old one of wood.

A number of our townsmen are in Santa Rosa today in attendance at the Fouts' trial which is in progress before the Superior Court.

R. G. Shoults expects to move his drug stock into his new store next Monday which will be in readiness for its reception by that time.

Will Appleton came up from the city Saturday evening to spend a short visit with relatives and friends.

A turkey shoot and raffle has been planned to take place at El Laurel on Sunday the 23 inst. Chickens, turkeys and geese will be offered as prizes.

"One of my children was taken with cramp colic and suffered severely," says S. B. Elzee, of Monett, Mo. "I telephoned for a doctor, then gave a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and a few minutes later a second dose. Before the doctor came the chlid was relieved." For sale by R. G. Shoults.

A. F. Pauli spent Sunday with his family here this week.

A. D. Graham of El Verano had business in Santa Rosa Saturday.

Harry Shaw was transacting business in the metropolis last Saturday.

Victor Janson was among the Sonomaites doing business in San Francisco last Saturday.

Miss Claire Hope and Miss Elizabeth Davis spent Saturday shopping in the bay city.

H. Rubke, one of the progressive farmers of Shellville, was doing business in the metropolis last Saturday.

Mrs. H. Lutgens returned from San Francisco Monday evening where she spent a few days with relatives and friends.

Joe. B. Small returned home from the metropolis Saturday evening where he spent two days transacting business.

FOR SALE—New Fischer upright piano. Inquire of Mr. or Mrs. C. E. Johnson.

Friend McHarvey returned to Sonoma Saturday morning after an absence of several months on a whaling vessel in the north.

A child of Mrs. Geo. T. Benson, when getting his usual Saturday night bath, stepped back against a hot stove which burned him severely. The child was in great agony and his mother could do nothing to pacify him. Remembering that she had a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, she thought she would try it. In less than half an hour after applying it the child was quiet and asleep, and in less than two weeks was well. Mrs. Benson is a well known resident of Kellar, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment and especially valuable for burns, cuts, bruises and sprains. For sale by R. G. Shoults.

HIGH SCHOOL WELL WATER ANALYZED.

NO CAUSE FOUND FOR PUPIL'S ILLNESS

Inspection Shows the High School Grounds and Well to be Strictly Sanitary.

Owing to several of the High school pupils having recently been taken ill with maladies which usually are attributed to unsanitary conditions it was suggested that there was something about the High school premises responsible for the condition. The trustees made a thorough search of the premises but found nothing which might bred disease germs. To satisfy themselves fully that the water of the well was pure a sample was taken therefrom and sent to the Agricultural Department of the University of California for analysis. The report of that institution we herewith give which will be of particular interest to the patrons of the High school as it shows the water to be pure and wholesome.

We are much pleased to know that the trustees have made so thorough an investigation and found everything to be in a sanitary condition at that institution. This report will undoubtedly relieve the minds of many anxious parents whose children are attending the school.

Analysis of water from well of the Sonoma Valley Union High School. Sample sent by Robt. P. Hill, Eldridge, Cal.

	Grains per Gal.	Parts per 10,000
Potassium Sulfate (very small)..... Sodium Sulfate (Glaubers Salt) etc.	3 33	.56
Sodium Chlorid (common salt).....	4 01	.70
Sodium Carbonate (Sal soda).....	1 23	.21
Calcium and Magnesium Carbonates, etc. chiefly calcium sulfate, small... Silica, small.....	4 18	.71
No change		
Organic matter and chem. combined water.....	1 58	.27
Total	14.33	2.45

This water is excellent for all uses, and is free from organic contamination.

{ SIGNED } E. W. HILGARD.

A Little One Called Home.

Wednesday morning the sad news of the death of the two and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rogers which occurred at Grants Pass, Or., was received here. The little fellow had been a constant sufferer for several weeks and though the best medical skill in Southern Oregon had been employed nothing could be done to restore the little fellow to health. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, nee Annie Weyl, are well known here and have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement. Henry Weyl left Wednesday afternoon for the home of the stricken parents.

Chauvet's Big Wine Yield.

Joshua Chauvet has made 200,000 gallons of wine and 100,000 gallons of brandy at his Glen Ellen winery, and in his Santa Rosa winery 300,000 gallons, making in all 500,000 gallons. This is the largest vintage Mr. Chauvet has handled since he became a wine-maker.—Press Democrat.

A Card of Thanks.

I desire to take this means of thanking the voters of Sonoma Valley most sincerely for the very general and loyal support given me at the recent election. It was most gratifying, and I shall in the future as in the past endeavor to merit the confidence thus shown in me.

Gratefully yours
F. T. DUHRING.

In the Superior Court

OF THE

County of Sonoma, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of GEORGE W. CLARK, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Nancy E. Clark, administratrix of the estate of George W. Clark, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the law office of Robert A. Poppe, on the East side of the Plaza, in Sonoma City, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in said County of Sonoma, State of California.

NANCY E. CLARK,
Administratrix of the estate of George W. Clark, deceased.
Dated, November 14th, 1902.
Robert A. Poppe, Attorney for the Estate.

O. E. S. Officers Elected.

At the meeting of the Valley of the Moon chapter O. E. S. held last night the following named were chosen to officer that lodge during the ensuing year:

Mrs. L. M. Johannsen, W. M.; G. W. Reed, W. P.; Mrs. O. B. Shaw, A. M.; Mattie Goodman, Sec.; Annie Pemberton, Treas.; Mrs. Hocker, C.; Mrs. Minkle, A.C.; Mrs. F. Weaver, Adah; Miss Humphreys, Ruth; Mrs. Perkins, Esther; Miss Perkins, Martha; Mrs. Gottenberg, Electa; Mrs. Hotz, Warda; Dr. Gottenberg, Sentinel; Mrs. Cutter, Chaplain; Mrs. McHarvey, Marshal; Mrs. R. A. Poppe, Pianoist.

Asleep Amid Flames.

Breaking into a blazing home, some firemen lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fancied security, and death near. It's that way when you neglect coughs and colds. Don't do it, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption gives perfect protection against all Throat, Chest and Lung Troubles. Keep it near, and avoid suffering, death, and doctor's bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use the most stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting, it's guaranteed to satisfy by R. G. Shoults. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

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Blood meat	3 00
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To call and get acquainted with our way of doing business on up-to-date lines. We claim every person within trading distance of the store as our customer and are determined that none shall stay away if live business methods, fair dealing, good goods, and low prices will bring them to our Store.

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We have found, that by putting in a full stock of Goods we would meet the approval of all our many customers, who will be better served from the stock here, thus doing away with waiting for orders to be filled. We purchase goods in large quantities for cash and are therefore able to quote you prices away below those you have heretofore known and we hope for a share of your valuable patronage.

A Partial List of the Goods Carried in Stock.

Snow flake Suitings, 38 inches wide all wool, 50c per yard.
Venetian Suitings all wool from 50c to $1.00 per yard.
Waistings, priced 75c per yard we sell at 45c per yard.
Waistings, large asssortment at 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c per yard.
Tennisflannels at 5c, 8½c, 10c, 12½c per yard.
Blue, red or brown flannels 35c, 40c and 50c per yard.
Best quality flannelettes at 10c per yard.
Apron ginghams, 5c, 6c, 8½c per yard.
Blanket Sheets, grey or white, 65c per pair.
Wool blankets from $1.00 to $4.00 per pair.
Comforters, white filling only, from $1.00 to $2.75 each.
Shawls from 25c to $2.50 each.
Mens, Ladies and Childrens Leggins, 25c to $1.00 per pair.
Buggy robes from $1.00 to $4.50 each.
American, French and German Calicoes, all prices.
Muslins, Sheetings, Linings, Trimmings, Wrappers, Childrens Dresses, Ladies' waists, Girls' hats, Ladies skirts and also Muslin underwear, Lace curtains, Window shades, Mattings, Mattresses, Iron beds etc. etc.
Men's Bull Breeches, all sizes, $1.00.
Men's Levi Strauss Overalls, 50c.
Boys' Levi Strauss Overalls, 40c per pair.
Boys' Engineer Overalls, 25c and 40c per pair.
Boys' Knee Pants, good, 50c per pair.
Boys' Suits, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $4.00 to $10.00.
Men's Oil Suits, $2.25.
" Suits, $5.00 to $7.50, $8.50, $10.00, $12.00 to $17.50.
" Overcoats, $5.00 to $15.00.
" Rubber Boots, $2.75.
" Oil Hats, 25c.
" Underwear, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.
Ladies Vests and Pants, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.50.
Ladies Union Suits, 50c, $1.00 $1.50 and $2.50.
Children's Vests, Pants and Drawers, 25c, 35, 50c and 75c.
Children's Hose, 12½c, 20c, 25 and 50.
Ladies' Hose, 12½c, 25c, 35c and 50c.
Mens' Socks, 7 pairs for 25c, 3 pairs for 25c, 12½c per pair, 3 for 50c, 25c and 35c.
Mens' Over Shirts, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.50.
" Sweaters, 50c to $3.50.
" Shoes, $1.50, $2.00, $3.00 and $3.50.
Boys' Shoes, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00.
Ladies' Shoes, $1.35, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50.
Children's Shoes 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50.
Corsets, 50c, $1.00, $1.50 up to $3.00.
Ladies' Gloves, 15c, 25c, 50c, $1.00, $1.50.
Men's Gloves, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.
Men's Hats, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.25.
Also Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, Materials for Fancy Work, Hair Ornaments, Perfumes, Combs, Brushes, Collars and Cuffs, Neck Ties, Handkerchiefs, Trunks, Valises, Belts, Purses, Jewelry, Sewing Machines of all kinds, Cutlery, etc.

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When a woman is married to a poor stick of a man the Christian Science way is to say that she is suffering with a belief of a husband.

The famous Gilt Edge Whiskey is for sale by all first-class dealers in your community and is especially recommended to those that have not tried it. Call for it the next time you want a good whiskey. Wichman, Lutgen & Co., San Francisco, Cal., sole proprietors.

There is something the matter with a man who doesn't hate a woman suffragist; he'd cackle if he had a chance.

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When a lazy man goes into a saloon and somebody sets up two or three drinks he feels as industrious as anybody.

Another great honor has been conferred upon the A. Van der Naillen School of Engineering of San Francisco. It was only a few months ago that the Belgian Government had asked A. Van der Naillen, Jr., to secure four mining engineers for South Africa. The second great honor conferred upon this gentleman was when he was appointed on the 26th of last month by Mayor Schmitz a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works of San Francisco.

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All men are a little lower than angels, and some are a great deal lower.

If you work in the right direction you will generally be going up hill.

Ungrateful Queen Bess.

Her majesty's service was apt to be more plentifully supplied with kicks than ha'pence. Every one who ever did anything for Queen Bess seems to have been left with a bad debt on his books. So we find an unfortunate John Conley writing to Sir Robert Cecil that for the last two years he had been suitor for £100 for "beeves for the army," and complaining that "unless some order be taken I shall be undone." Sir Edward Hastyngs, after spending his life in serving the queen, had to pawn his wife's jewels and beg her majesty "to bestow something upon me in this my latter age."

So badly was the fleet that beat the armada provisioned that Francis Drake had to seize at Plymouth ninety bags of rice, and the unfortunate owner, after ten years' waiting, was refused payment, "rice being an extraordinary victual not allowed for the navy." Nor did common soldiers fare better. The chief anxiety of all Elizabeth's ministers ought, in her view, to have been how to save most money.—London Telegraph.

Finds Profit In His Good Deed.

Greene—After all, Slimset is good at heart. He prevailed upon the boys to give up smoking for a week and to give the money they would have spent for cigars and tobacco to old Derby to get him a suit of clothes.

Gray—Yes; when Derby has any clothes, he always buys them at Slimset's store.—Boston Transcript.

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A Little Child's Loneliness.

Little Mabel, says the Woman's Journal, had been put to bed alone. Presently she appeared in her nightgown at the head of the stairs, saying plaintively, "I'm lonesome!" Her mother gave her a favorite rubber doll named Happy to take to bed with her and for a few minutes she was quiet. Then she reappeared with her plaint of lonesomeness. This time her mother reminded her that God was with her and sent her back to bed with a reproof. Soon she was heard weeping bitterly, and when her mother went to her little Mabel summed up her sense of misery by exclaiming, "I don't want Happy, and I don't want God; I want somebody with a skin face!"

Economy.

Fudge—Yes, Spinks has a splendid system of economy.

Judge—How so?

"He goes to work and lays aside money for something he doesn't need."

"No economy in that."

"Isn't there? Well, by the time he has the money saved he always finds out he doesn't want the thing—and then the money is saved."—Baltimore Herald.

Rheumatism

The liniment bottle and flannel strip are familiar objects in nearly every household. They are the weapons that have been used for generations to fight old Rheumatism, and are about as effective in the battle with this giant disease as the blunderbuss of our forefathers would be in modern warfare.

Rheumatism is caused by an acid, sour condition of the blood. It is filled with acrid, irritating matter that settles in the joints, muscles and nerves, and liniments and oils nor nothing else applied externally can dislodge these gritty, corroding particles. They were deposited there by the blood and can be reached only through the blood. Rubbing with liniments sometimes relieve temporarily the aches and pains, but these are only symptoms which are liable to return with every change of the weather; the real disease lies deeper, the blood and system are infected. Rheumatism cannot be radically and permanently cured until the blood has been purified, and no remedy does this so thoroughly and promptly as S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and sends a stream of rich, strong blood to the affected parts, which dissolves and washes out all foreign materials, and the sufferer obtains happy relief from the torturing pains.

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GOOD Short Stories

Lord Rosebery once sat next to a farmer at his estate dinner, and the confiding man whispered to the host, when the ice pudding was brought: "The pudding has been frozen." The ex-Premier, thanking the farmer, and looking surprised, called to a waiter, said something, and then, turning to the farmer again, said: "They tell me the pudding has been frozen on purpose."

When the fretful critic, Cumberland, said of a performance of "The School for Scandal" that he was surprised that it provoked such immoderate laughter, as it did not make him even smile, Sheridan, the wit, orator, and playwright, is said to have remarked: "Cumberland is truly ungrateful, for I saw a tragedy of his played a fortnight before at Covent Garden, and I laughed from beginning to end."

The other day an inquisitive lady was talking with James Whitcomb Riley on how poorly paid was the profession of literature. "But, Mr. Riley," said she, "surely you have no cause for complaining. You must be a very rich man. I understand you get a dollar a word for all you write." "Ye-e-es, madam," said Riley, with his slow drawl, "but sometimes I sit all day and can't think of a d——n word."

A photographer who arrived at Oyster Bay the other day asked permission to take some views. The President was amiable, and told him: "You are welcome to photograph anything you like, except my wife and children, but if I catch you doing that I'll throw you off the place." Those are the orders to the secret-service men. They are authorized to permit kodakers to shoot at anything they see except Mrs. Roosevelt and the children.

A New York clubman, whose reputation as a conceited and insufferable bore was a byword, was once attempting to impress a group of men as being a society pet. "What a hospitable fellow Blank is," he said, naming one of New York's cleverest men; "I dropped in on him the other night, and he and his wife fairly insisted that I stay for dinner. Such a time as I had getting away! Why, when I started to leave, they came right out in the hall and backed up against the front door." "After you'd g-g-gone out?" sarcastically inquired one of his wearied listeners.

Baedeker's is generally regarded as a harmless book. Not so in Turkey, as a German traveler has learned to his grief. They found in his trunk "a guide through Turkey," and confiscated it. The next morning the Baedeker was returned to the German, but with more than a hundred pages, containing a description of Constantinople, torn out. The traveler went to the censor's office to complain of this inexplicable treatment of his book. But the censor explained to him, with irresistible logic, that an accurate description of Constantinople could not be suffered, since a knowledge of the locality was calculated to facilitate an attempt on the Sultan's life.

SLANG OF OUR COLLEGES.

Interesting Array of Barbarisms that Only Students Can Interpret.

In an article on college slang President Thwing of the Western Reserve university presents an interesting array of words which the laymen would try in vain to understand without the aid of a teacher or a glossary. Different languages, he says, have different words and phrases, "and a few words and phrases are common to many, such as 'swipe,' 'soak,' 'spike,' 'josh,' 'hen-medic,' 'goose egg,' 'gring,' 'crib,' and many others indeed. But there are other words that are used only at a few colleges. A student, for instance, in one college may 'bat' (make a perfect recitation) and may sit in a 'bear box' (the faculty pew in chapel). On going from church he may become a 'belt chaser,' walking with a 'coed' and going to his dinner he has a 'berry' (a good thing). In the afternoon he prepares himself for 'bib' (that is, for recitation in the bible). It is possible that the 'belt chaser' walks with a 'bird' (a girl) to the 'bird cage' (a dormitory for women students). It is also possible that the 'bird' may be a 'birdie' (one who is eager to make acquaintance with men without an introduction).

"He may prefer to call his walk a 'pike,' and also he may prefer to walk with a 'plugger' rather than with a 'bird,' and while walking to talk about 'polek' (political economy) or 'polst' (political science).

"A student may be a 'moke' (an easy-going fellow), and in that case he is apt to be 'porky' (very poor) in his works, and consequently gets a 'zip' (a zero in marks), and is in danger of being 'rusticated' (suspended). Of course, he must become a 'repeater' (one required to repeat a year's work), if he hopes ever to get his 'rag' (diploma). If the man is an 'elle' (a good student) he will probably get the reputation of being a 'whale' (a phenomenal student), in case he 'bones' (studies) hard and 'poles' (prepares a lesson by hard study).

HE CREATED A SENSATION.

Town's First Uniformed Policeman Cause of Wonder and Terror.

The old inhabitants of towns are fond of exchanging reminiscences of early days. This was the case recently in a small New England city and one of the matters recalled was the establishment of its police department. The force was small in number, but of its members was almost a giant in size—six feet four and a half inches tall and broadly built. There chanced to be a hitch about the delivery of the men's uniforms, so that only one was received promptly and the Goliath of the force stalked forth in his splendor alone.

Naturally he created a sensation. As he patrolled the long winding street that run the whole length of the place there were many comments upon his personal appearance, most of which were discreetly uttered after he had passed out of hearing. At length, however, a shambling, shabby, sly-eyed, crack-witted ne'er-do-well stepped up and touched the gorgeous figure on the arm.

"Say, mister," he whispered humbly, "tell me the safest law to break and I'll break it—for the honor of walking down Main street with them buttons!"

The information requested was not vouchsafed and the giant marched on in his buttons and his dignity. But a little farther along a small boy who was playing in the front yard was no less impressed, although more bewildered, by the glittering and mighty apparition. He gave one look, eyes and mouth at their roundest, and then dashed indoors, crying to his mother:

"Oh, mamma, look! look! Is he war or the circus?"

Even after he had become a familiar figure to the citizens the huge gardian of the peace retained some of his impressiveness. To one prisoner at least he so embodied the terrors of the law that the man submitted to an arrest which a few words of explanation at the time could have averted. When, in court, he did at length explain, the judge inquired in astonishment why he had not done so before. Smiling confidentially at his honor the accused replied:

"Well, judge, it's like this: You're folks; but as for that Bunker Hill monument with a helmet on top, he may be a first-class sewing machine, but he ain't a man. I didn't darst argufy with him. No, sir! I'd as soon thought of tryin' to make my position clear to the town fire engine."

Trade in Rabbit Skins.

The English rabbit skin trade is one of interest to Americans, according to a report made to the State Department by United States Consul Hallstead at Birmingham. "Instead," he says, "of being sent to certain parts of the European continent—where for a great many years rabbit skins intended ultimately for American use have undergone a process known as pulling—a few bales of these skins were shipped last winter, experimentally, direct from Birmingham to the United States. It was thought, a shipper told me, that we had produced a new machine in the United States which could pull out the long hair of rabbit skins at less cost than by the extremely cheap hand labor of the continent. I learn that the machine experiment was not a success, and I know the English dealers who were interested in the American venture are again sending their skins to the continent, where the long, useless hairs are laboriously pulled out by hand and the skins reshipped to hat manufacturers in the United States, who shave off the close hair and use this fur to make felt hats.

"Millions of rabbits, British and Australian, are consumed annually in Great Britain. Dealers purchase skins from game and poultry shops, and where rabbits are dressed in households there is, as a perquisite, a penny apiece to the cook. One Birmingham dealer tells me he handled 3,000,000 rabbit skins last year."

The Astonishing Trade in Bulbs.

The man with the little garden walks round the public park and sees crocuses and daffodils, hyacinths and tulips by the thousand. He understands they are imported direct from Holland by very large users of the bulbs. It is an astounding trade as so measured and taken as an example of what others do in the same line, as tradesmen say. Take the Japanese trade, which comes next in importance to the Dutch. During last season eighty tons of lily roots were sold, and this amounts in numbers to about 3,000,000. But this is nothing to the Dutch trade, if we take the same basis of weight and numbers as in the Japanese instance. The average sale is sixty tons per week, which is in numbers about 2,500,000. The season lasts about four months—sixteen weeks—so that in weight 960 tons are sold; and this amounts in numbers to the almost incredible sum of 40,000,000.—Saturday Review.

A Double Point.

The old question of the scholastics, "How many angels are supported on the point of a needle?" was once charmingly answered by the late Dr. Talmage. The Philadelphia Times tells how. Some theological students were laughing over the question when in the company of Dr. Talmage.

"Well," said he, "how many do you think?"

As no one answered, he went on with characteristic decision.

"I'll tell you—five. Let me prove it to you. One very stormy night I was returning home late, and I noticed a light in the window of a room where a poor woman lived whose husband was at sea. I wondered what kept her up so late, and I went to see. I found her hard at work sewing by her lamp, while her five rosy children were sound asleep near her. There was a needle supporting five angels."

Loved His Lot.

The venerable Bishop Williams of Connecticut, for many years presiding Bishop of the Episcopal church in America, and who lived all his life a bachelor, was talking one day with a young man from the West about a possible tax a Western State was trying to impose on bachelors, the tax to be increased a certain per cent for every ten years of bachelorhood.

"Why, Bishop," said the young man, "at your age you would have to pay about $100 a year."

"Well," said the Bishop, quietly, and in his old-time vernacular, "it's wuth it."—New York Times.

America's Costliest Insect.

The chinch bug has been called the costliest insect in America. It has cost as high as $100,000,000 to feed during a single season. A bug hardly visible to the naked eye and which will provide 500 offspring is difficult to cope with and its offensive odor protects it from other insects which might feed upon it.

The Egoist.

Towne—He does think an awful lot of himself, that's a fact; but he certainly is bright.

Browne—What a ridiculous speech! If he were really bright he'd only have to think a little bit to get onto himself.—Philadelphia Press.

THE SPRINTING ROACH.

How the Ant Played Upon His Weakness and Won.

Once upon a time there was a roach lived in a hole in the wall next door to a wise old ant. Now it happened that the ant did not like the roach and would gladly have murdered him but for the roach's size and great strength, which made the ant no match for him in a contest of strength.

The ant placed poison at the roach's door, but the roach was wary and ate it not. One evening, when the lady of the house came into the room to look for roaches, the ant called upon the roach to come out of his hole, hoping the lady would kill him, but the roach heard her footsteps and kept close. Next the ant tried to compass the destruction of the roach by daring him to climb up the side of the wall, hoping that the roach would fall from a great height and break his neck. The roach, however, refused to climb.

Now it happened that the roach was a great sprinter and was very proud of his ability to get over the ground in a hurry. The ant chanced to think of this, and going to the roach, challenged him to a footrace. The roach accepted the challenge at once and stated that he could run faster with his front feet tied than any bandy legged ant in the whole house. The ant selected the spot where the foot race was to be run, which was across a yellow sheet of paper on the window sill. Hither both the ant and the roach went and halted at the edge of the sheet of paper.

"Are you ready?" cried the roach.

"I am!" shouted the ant.

"Go!" yelled the roach, and with that started across the sheet of paper at a dreadful pace, only to fall down and stick fast in a nauseous mire ere he had gone two inches. The ant did not start at all, for well ke knew that the race course was across a sheet of flypaper.

Moral: There is a weak spot in every man's armor if you can but find it.—Ohio State Journal.

Peculiarities of Sleep.

There are few persons who can tell off hand just what positions they assume to invite sleep, and yet there is not an individual in the world who has not some trick of distributing limbs and trunk to ensure slumber's blissful spell which he practices unconsciously. This is a night habit, as perpetual and immutable under normal conditions as the succession of the seasons. No sooner are we really off to the Land of Nod than the night habit asserts its dominion. Our hands and arms seek the same parts of the bed or the same portions of our bodies upon which they have nightly rested since infancy, our feet and legs stretch at the same angles or loosely entwine in comfortable relaxation, as commanded by unconscious will.

It is seldom of our own deliberate volition that we place our bodies in position for sleep, as you will find tonight on going to bed if you remember these words. In truth, if you do not seek to combat the instincts you will be surprised at the dispositions of the various members involuntarily made. If you endeavor to go to sleep by a new arrangement of the body you will also be surprised by the revolt against slumber which will surely ensue, but even before the struggle is well begun you will probably surrender, and permit the all masterful night habit to reinstate those little details of position which long practice has made necessary to your comfort.

Exercise and Eating.

A good dinner at night is necessary for those whose pleasure or work keeps them up very late. But for ordinary folk who dine at 6 or 7 and go to bed about 10:30 only a light wholesome repast should be taken at the end of the day, when muscles and nerves are more or less exhausted.

A "tired stomach is a weak stomach" is a golden rule to remember. Yet how often one hears people say, "I've been rushing about all day and am tired to death; I must have a big meal to make up for it!" You may put the big meal into the stomach, but you cannot make the stomach digest it.

A belief lives strong in the hearts and minds of the majority of mankind, including persons of weak digestions, that a quick, brisk walk taken before a meal gets up an appetite and helps the stomach to digest the food. Now, this is exactly what it doesn't do. Exercise spreads the blood through the body. For the proper digestion of food the blood is needed in the stomach. Few realize this important fact.

After a long, exhausting walk, bicycle spin or any severe physical or mental strain take a good half hour's rest in a comfortable arm-chair or lying on a sofa before you eat a substantial meal.

An Important Question.

Civil service examinations are sometimes the source of no little amusement. In New York there was recently a test of candidates for the position of park grass cutter. The first paper the examiner picked up contained this question and answer:

"What are the cubical contents of a room fifteen feet long, ten feet wide and eight feet high."

"One bedstead, a bureau and a washstand. If such a room was a kitchen or a parlor, it would be larger and contain more articles."

Here is another question and answer:

"What is the difference between three feet square and three square feet?"

"It could not be."

At this moment the examiner was interrupted in his work by a big man who opened the office door and said:

"Do you know anything about civil service?"

"A little," replied the examiner.

"Well," continued the visitor, "I want to know where Pat McCann stands on the old mowing list."

"Third."

"And how many are there ahead of him?"

Glaciers in Montana.

But few people are aware that there are in Montana some of the finest glaciers in the world.

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It is not often that a woman desires the removal of a natural dimple, but occasionally a man who considers the mark to be a badge of effeminacy desires to get rid of it. Instead of removing the superfluous fat from beneath the surface a small portion of the skin is cut away. The edges of the dimple are drawn together with stitches, the incision heals and the depression disappears.

Mere Maiden Timidity.

"Well, mum," said the cook as she entered the parlor with her bundle in her hand, "I must be after goin' away this mornin'."

"What do you mean? Why are you going?" asked her astonished mistress.

"I am goin' to be married next week."

"But surely, Bridget, you won't leave me so suddenly? You must ask him to wait for a few days."

"Oh, I couldn't, mum."

"Why not, pray?"

"Sure, mum, I'd like to oblige you, but I don't feel well enough acquainted with him to ask such a thing."—Philadelphia Press.

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